

for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. CRENSHAW: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 5882. A bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-511). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee Natural Resources. H.R. 2512. A bill to provide for the conveyance of certain Federal land in Clark County, Nevada, for the environmental remediation and reclamation of the Three Kids Mine Project Site, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 112-512). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. ISSA: Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. H.R. 4607. A bill to ensure economy and efficiency of Federal Government operations by establishing a moratorium on midnight rules during a President's final days in office, and for other purposes (Rept. 112-513 Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XIII, the Committee on the Judiciary discharged from further consideration. H.R. 4607 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, and ordered to be printed.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. COLE:

H.R. 5883. A bill to make a technical correction in Public Law 112-108; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Ms. BASS of California (for herself, Mr. DOLD, and Mr. GUTIERREZ):

H.R. 5884. A bill to establish a 1-year pilot program to reduce up-front premiums on FHA mortgage insurance for first-time homebuyers who complete a homeownership counseling program and thereby help to reduce default rates on residential mortgages; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. BISHOP of New York (for himself and Mr. ISRAEL):

H.R. 5885. A bill to amend the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act to add New York to the New England Fishery Management Council, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. ISRAEL (for himself and Mr. RYAN of Ohio):

H.R. 5886. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to improve the dependent care credit by repealing the phasedown of the credit percentage and making permanent the increased dollar limitations; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LoBIONDO (for himself and Mr. LARSEN of Washington):

H.R. 5887. A bill to authorize appropriations for the Coast Guard for fiscal years 2013 through 2015, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. SARBANES:

H.R. 5888. A bill to establish a demonstration program to facilitate physician reentry into clinical practice to provide required primary health services; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BARROW:

H. Res. 673. A resolution expressing support for designation of May 2012 as "National Mo-

bility Awareness Month"; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. CRENSHAW:

H.R. 5882.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The principal constitutional authority for this legislation is clause 7 of section 9 of article I of the Constitution of the United States (the appropriation power), which states: "No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law" In addition, clause 1 of section 8 of article I of the Constitution (the spending power) provides: "The Congress shall have the Power . . . to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States" Together, these specific constitutional provisions establish the congressional power of the purse, granting Congress the authority to appropriate funds, to determine their purpose, amount, and period of availability, and to set forth terms and conditions governing their use.

By Mr. COLE:

H.R. 5883.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to Article I, Section 8, Clause 7 which grants Congress the power to establish Post Offices and post roads.

By Ms. BASS of California:

H.R. 5884.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 1.

Article I.

Section 8.

All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

By Mr. BISHOP of New York:

H.R. 5885.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

By Mr. ISRAEL:

H.R. 5886.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1.

By Mr. LoBIONDO:

H.R. 5887.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution

By Mr. SARBANES:

H.R. 5888.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the U.S. Constitution.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 23: Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. COHEN and Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 100: Mr. QUAYLE.

H.R. 140: Mr. QUAYLE.

H.R. 273: Mr. HERGER, Mr. SCHOCK, and Mr. CRAWFORD.

H.R. 458: Mr. CROWLEY.

H.R. 692: Mr. QUAYLE.

H.R. 718: Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 904: Mr. TERRY.

H.R. 1066: Mr. CLARKE of Michigan.

H.R. 1112: Mr. MATHESON and Mr. GRIFFIN of Arkansas.

H.R. 1116: Ms. WILSON of Florida and Mr. DINGELL.

H.R. 1206: Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 1317: Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 1327: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 1375: Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. COURTNEY, and Mr. CAPUANO.

H.R. 1381: Ms. BONAMICI.

H.R. 1519: Mr. SHULER, Mr. ROSS of Arkansas, and Mr. LARSEN of Washington.

H.R. 1562: Mr. RAHALL, Ms. MOORE, Mr. PETERSON, and Mr. BOREN.

H.R. 1596: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 1639: Mr. PEARCE, Mr. HALL, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mrs. SCHMIDT, and Mr. RUPPERSBERGER.

H.R. 1672: Mr. CLEAVER.

H.R. 1821: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 1867: Mrs. LOWEY and Mr. MILLER of North Carolina.

H.R. 1956: Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. BILIRAKIS, and Mr. WALBERG.

H.R. 1960: Mr. CONYERS and Mr. MICHAUD.

H.R. 2000: Mr. HUNTER.

H.R. 2012: Mr. ANDREWS.

H.R. 2057: Mr. NUGENT.

H.R. 2077: Mr. PAULSEN.

H.R. 2086: Mr. WELCH.

H.R. 2139: Mr. LANKFORD.

H.R. 2140: Mr. PLATTS.

H.R. 2267: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. PETRI, Ms. MOORE, and Mr. CARNEY.

H.R. 2494: Mr. CAPUANO.

H.R. 2528: Mr. LONG.

H.R. 2529: Mr. BRADY of Texas.

H.R. 2569: Mr. GIBSON.

H.R. 2678: Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas and Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 2962: Mr. CRENSHAW and Mr. BROUN of Georgia.

H.R. 2969: Mr. LOEBSACK.

H.R. 3042: Ms. CHU and Ms. HAHN.

H.R. 3067: Mr. POSEY, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Ms. SUTTON, Mr. AUSTRIA, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mrs. CAPPS, and Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.

H.R. 3086: Mr. CUMMINGS and Mr. McDERMOTT.

H.R. 3158: Mrs. MILLER of Michigan.

H.R. 3173: Mr. McDERMOTT.

H.R. 3269: Mr. OLVER, Mr. SCHIFF, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 3341: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 3352: Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York and Ms. CLARKE of New York.

H.R. 3395: Mr. KELLY and Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 3399: Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 3423: Ms. BALDWIN.

H.R. 3482: Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 3511: Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. FLEMING, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. DESJARLAIS, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, and Mr. HUIZENGA of Michigan.

H.R. 3612: Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 3668: Mr. CARSON of Indiana.

H.R. 3720: Mr. CULBERSON.

H.R. 3762: Ms. MCCOLLUM.

H.R. 3803: Mr. TURNER of New York.

H.R. 4066: Mr. BURGESS.

H.R. 4091: Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio.

H.R. 4096: Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 4134: Mr. RIGELL.

H.R. 4164: Mr. BASS of New Hampshire.

H.R. 4259: Mrs. BACHMANN.